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Lafayette Square Opera House,-"The Girl From Paris." New National Theater.-Joseph Jefferson in "Rip Van Winkle."

Willard Hall,-Exhibition of the Bio

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CITY AND DISTRICT. GRAND ARMY CLUB ENTERTAINS.

Chapters Furnished of the Unwritten History of the War. The Grand Army Club of the District of

Columbia entertained a number of invited guests Saturday evening at Willard's Hotel. The tea parlor was beautifully festooned and decorated with Old Glory, and music was supplied by W. S. Craven's orchestra. Gen. R. M. Moore, past department commander of Texas, now a resident of San Antonio, and Captain Castle, auditor for the Post Office Department, each of whom entered the volunteer service from the state of Iiilnois, and both active Grand Army comrades for thirty years past, addressed the club, giving eloquent reminiscences of the days that tried men's souls. Commander Thomas Hopkins and Past Department Commander McElroy each also added an interesting chapter from the unwritten history of the war. Several patriotic songs were rendered by George D. Scott, and Capt. J. Y. Ballow gave a reci-An abundant buffet lunch was served,

with coffee and cigars. The attendance was unusually large, and following new members were formalielected to membership: Capt. Warner Wil-hite, C. L. Saers, George D. Sidman, Dr. C. V. Pettis, A. K. Belt, E. H. Fenton, George W. Hezer, Adolph Berger.

Small's Orehid and Chrysanthemum exhibit today .- Advt.

Garfield Post Inspection.

The annual inspection of James A. Garfield Post, No. 7, Department of the Potomac, Grand Army of the Republic, was made Wednesday evening last in its hall, No. 419 10th street northwest, by Department Commander Thomas S. Hopkins and

Assistant Inspector Robert Armour of Post No. 2 officiated. He very highly complimented the adjutant and quartermaster, Comrades Fred H. Smith and J. H. Jochum, upon the thorough manner in which they performed their duties.

Speeches were made during the evening by Commander Hopkins, Senior Vice Com-mander Raub, Junior Vice Commander Mc-Cabe, Adjutant General Hendricks, Quartermaster General Powell, and a number of commanders of other posts. The comrades of the post were enthusiastic and expressed their approbation in no stinted measure of the account rendered by the department sommander and his staff of their steward-

The impressive ceremony of the muster-in of a recruit elicited some highly eulogistic remarks from the department com-mander as to the effective and efficient manner in which Commander Frear and the other officers of the post performed

their duties.

After the ceremonies a bountiful repast
was spread, to which full justice was done,
and the evening terminated in an impromptu talk over cigars.

Weddings.

Such events call for floral decorations of unusual excellence. Trust your orders to Gude's artists, 1224 F st.-Advt. Excursion to High Island.

Members of the National Geographic Society and their friends Saturday afternoon

went on an excursion to High Island in the Potomac. The occasion was one of great enjoyment. In addition to the pleasure of the outing, interesting addresses were the outing, interesting addresses were made. Unity Club Entertainment. At the first public entertainment of the

Unity Club, held at the Auburn, 22d and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Dr. W. A. Croffut, in "My Summer Outing," entertained the members and guests by a graphic description of Yosemite, Yellowstone Park, Alaska, and the perils of Klondike adventure. Vocal and instrumental music were furnished by the Misses Grady and Murray, the blind musicians of the Rosini Circle. Recitations were given by Dr. E. A. Duncan and Miss Lizzie Magie. The president, Mr. Silas Boyce: Dr. W. W. Baker, vice president; Mrs. Dora T. Vorhis, treasurer, declining re-election, were respectively succeeded by Mr. R. Grant Barnwell, Mr. S. R. Hall and Miss C. Louise Huribert. Miss Mary C. Bennett was re-elected secretary of the club.

Miss Cisneros' Return.

Senorita Evangelina Cossio y Cisneros has returned to this city from Chicago, and is again located with Mrs. Macias on K street. She will tonight attend the per-formance of "Courted Into Court" at the Columbia Theater, where she will occupy a box, which will be appropriately decor-ated with the American and Cuban colors.

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Suit to Clear Title.

Frank M. Benjamin today filed a bill in equity against the District of Columbia, praying that a cloud on his title to sublot A, of Wright and Cox's subdivision, be removed by the cancellation of all taxes on the lot prior to July 1, 1803. The com-plainant is represented by Attorney Peyton Gordon.

POLICE CLERICAL FORCE

Clerk Sylvester.

Annual Exhibit of Operations Made by Chief

Figancial Showing for the Past Year -Need of Storage Rooms and Office Facilities

Chief Clerk Sylvester of the police depart nent made his annual report to Maj. Moore Saturday afternoon. The exhibit is of the operations of the clerical force, as well as what was done in the line of recovering property during the fiscal year. Twelve insurance policies, amounting to \$7,324, were paid. The financial exhibit is as follows:

Salaries paid, \$574,505.26; fines, rewards property sale, deposited, \$1,051.95; collections for uniforms, \$12,395.97; charity disbursements, \$6,121.76; verification of department expenses, \$21,860.52; verification of police pensions, \$21,007.40; estimated value lost, stolen and abandoned property received, \$32,199.98; police insurance payments, \$7,324. Total, \$676,466.83.

Record Methods.

It might be proper to add that all recerds have been kept in accordance with the regulations and in a manner every way modern, so as to best facilitate the department and public requirements. The several assistants at headquarters have been faithful and correct in the discharge of their respective duties, each and all of them evincing an unceasing interest in the discharge of the work assigned them. Of the \$32,198.99, in lost, stolen or aban

Of the \$32,198,99, in lost, stolen or abandoned property, distribution was made as follows: Delivered to owners by order of the court or upon proof of ownership, \$26,575,22; delivered to claimants on bond, \$2,958,54; destroyed, \$31,25; sold, \$4.75. Total, \$29,569,76. Estimated value of remainder, \$2,630,22. mainder, 52,630.22.

The recessary storage rooms for the proper care of goods is and will continue to

be wanting until the department is pro-uded with adequate quarters of its own seection. Not only are there insufficient stor age accommodations, but the clerks are housed in office rooms illy adapted for the transaction of the increasing demands

transaction of the increasing demands made upon their energies.

Lost, stolen and abandoned bicycles make up a large percentage of the property disposed of by this office. This is evidenced by a perusal of the numbers of them received under the score of different names which attach to them.

The Bicycle Question.

Referring to the bicycle question, after mentioning that 183 wheels were stolen during the year, Mr. Sylvester says: The registration of bicycles and bicycle lamps, officially, would not only materially enhance the District revenues, but would aid in the recovery of such machines when lost, and in their identification after return

to this branch of the department. Confiscated weapons—A committee of em-ployes supervised the annual destruction of concealed weapons as ordered by the court under the existing law, but this wholesale disposition does not seem to have in any-wise decreased the number that are return-ed and confiscated by the policy ed and confiscated by the police.

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Lincoln W. R. C. Sewing Circle.

The sewing circle of Lincoln W. R. C., No. 6, at its last meeting, unanimously elected Mrs. Lida Oldroyd directress for the ersuing year. The meetings of the circle will hereafter be held at her residence, the house in which President Lincoln died. The ladies feel that the work of providing warm clothing for the needy old soldier and his dependent ones will now progress more rapidly and satisfactorily than heretofore. After a full supply of garments is ready for distribution, the circle will complete a silk quilt, one handsome and unique, the squares being contributed by members of the corps. It will be disposed of to the best advantage, and the proceeds placed in the

The committee having charge of the so-cial reunion, November 10, has completed arrangements. The program will be enter-taining, it is said.

Played at the White House.

Auguste Van Beine, the actor-musician whose performances upon the violoncello created great interest among musical people in this city last week, played at the White House Saturday evening at the request of President and Mrs. McKinley, who had invited a number of friends to hear tim. He played a program of a high order, and finally, at the request of Mrs. McKin-ley, played "Home, Sweet Home." The President thanked Mr. Van Beine for the pleasure he had given the company, and remarked: "Now I can see that what Joseph Jefferson said is true—'It is not art, but genius.'" It is understood that Mr. Van Beine will return the last of this month and give a Sunday evening recital.

The dwelling at southeast corner of Rhode Island avenue and 10th street (920 Rhode Island avenue), will be sold by trus-tees at auction tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. See advertisement.

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Exchanged Shots.

Bad marksmanship prevented the serious irjury of somebody near Chevy Chase Friday night. According to the report made by Mr. C. H. Sherman to the police Saturday, he heard some men fighting, or engaged in a quarrel, on his farm, which lies near the electric car line, and he ordered them away. When they refused to go he fired one shot at them. The men returned the fire, and when Mr. Sherman started from his house to go toward them they ran away. Detective Weedon heard the complaint made by Mr. Sherman and is investigating the case.

Association of Nurses.

The graduate nurses of the National Homeopathic Hospital met at the residence of Dr. Branson, 1231 New Jersey avenunorthwest, Saturday evening to form an alumni association, the object being to keep in touch with all the advanced ideas in the in touch with all the advanced ideas in the profession of nursing. These present were Misses Chace, Doing, Myra Drake, Ida Drake, Wharton, Heft, Burritt, Nichols, Ella Smith and Mrs. Branson. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Miss Myra Drake; vice president, Miss Cora Heft; secretary, Miss Ella Smith; treasurer, Miss Katharine Wharton. Future meetings will be held monthly.

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BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA.—
The program that has been arranged for the Boston Symphony Orchestra concert at the Lafayette Square Theater tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 o'clock is one of the most attractive that has ever been presented by that estimable organization in this city. The first number will be Brahms' "Academic Overture," which will be followed by Haydn's Symphony in C major, known as "The Bear," and played for the first time at these concerts; Chabrier's rhapsody for orchestra, "Espana," also played for the first time, and Felix Weingartner's arrangement for orchestra of Weber's dainty composition, "Invitation to the Dance," which will, like the two preceding numbers, have its first presentation here. The soloist of the concert is Joseffy, whose name is suffectively. BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA. the concert is Joseffy, whose name is sufficient to cause every music lover in Washington apprehension lest the opportunity of hearing him should be passed. He will play Schumann's concerto for the plano, a most difficult as well as beautiful work. It will he seen that the program is well diwill be seen that the program is well di-vided between the classic and "light" mu-sic, the "Espana" and "Invitation to the Dance" being two splendid waltzes, arranged for orchestra in such a manner as to challenge the criticism of the ultra-classto challenge the criticism of the ultra-classic, who have no desire to hear amything but the very deepest of work. The Brahms overture and Haydn symphony fill out this portion, leaving Joseffy as the central figure. Reports of Joseffy's work this season have been flattering in the extreme, somuch so as to inspire the belief that he is playing better this year than ever before.

DR. STAFFORD ON "MACBETH."-Rev. Dr. Stafford's lecture on "The Moral Lesson in Macbeth," to be given at the Columbia Theater Sunday evening next for the ben-Theater Sunday evening next for the ben-efit of the Carroll Institute, will doubtless attract much attention. The beneficiary of the lecture is in every way a worthy or-ganization, and its members and friends will do the utmost in their power to make it a success, while the reputation of the speaker and the interest that his theme inspires will constitute the remaining part of the drawing power. Dr. Stafford is well of the drawing power. Dr. Stafford is well known in his lectures on "Hamlet" and on "Macbeth," and while his discourse on the former is fine, and while he is perhaps bet-ter known on that subject, his lecture on the lessons to be gained from Macbeth's career are most sharply drawn and appeal to every thinker. The sale of seats for the will begin tomorrow morning at Metzerott's.

MRS. BEILER'S LECTURE POST-PONED.—Mrs. Samuel L. Beiler's lecture on "Alaska," announced for tomorrow evening at St. Paul's M. E. Church, has been postponed until Monday evening next on account of the indisposition of the lec-turer. At that time Mrs. Beiler will give an interesting and most instructive talk on the resources of the country under discussion, paying particular attention to the Yukon and Klondike region.

REV. MR. WILLIAMS' LECTURES.— The third illustrated lecture on the history of "The Church of England" will be given tomorrow evening in Trinity Parish Hall by Rev. Richard P. Williams. The topic will be the "Result of the Scandinavian Conquests." In treating this subject Mr. Williams will speak of the Danish Invaders, Martyrdom of King Edmond, Alfred the Great Introdurse with Christendom vaders, Martyrdom of King Edmond, Alfred the Great, Intercourse with Christendom, Ecclesiastical Statesinen, St. Dunstan, "Secular vs. Regular," Reign of Canute, England and Rome, William and Hildebrand, Sarum Liturgy, Domesday Book, Norman Churches and Cathedrals, and his lecture will be handsomely illustrated. Sacred music will be rendered by the quartet choir from St. Andrew's P. E. Church, under the direction of Mr. Herndon Morsell. The selections will be "The Lord is My Shepherd," G. A. Macfarren; "Jesus, Savior of My Soul," Rubenstein-Schnecker; "O Lord, at Evening Time," C. E. B. Price. "O Lord, at Evening Time," C. E. B. Price.
The singers are: Miss A. B. Fisher, soprano; Mrs. Herndon Morsell, contralto;
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Peace Union Meeting. The local branch of the Universal Peace

Union held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the Church of Our Father, corner of 13th and L streets. Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood presided and made a brief address. Rev. Amanda Deyo also spoke.

Suit for Divorce Withdrawn. The suit for divorce filed by Laura S. Whitaker against Granville A. Whitaker the 27th of last May has been withdrawn and dismissed by Mrs. Whitaker.

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ENCOURAGING REPORTS

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an Organisation. Encouraging reports relating to the building of a new Masonic Temple in this city vere made to a meeting of the general com mittee having the project in charge, held Saturday night at the National Rifles' Armory. Chairman J. Henry Small, jr., presided, with Mr. Howard Perry as secretary, and there was a large attendance, which showed lively interest in the proceedings. Reports were received from the various local Masonic organizations commending the plans of the general committee, and showed that Masons here were a unit in their determination to assist the project in every

determination to assist the project in every way possible for them, both financially where able and morally. A motion was adopted inviting the Mystic Shriners to contribute toward the temple, and an invitation was issued to Almas Temple to participate in the fair, which is to be held in behalf of the temple. Chapters of the Eastern Star of this jurisdiction were also given a similar invitation. It was decided to crea similar invitation. It was decided to create an executive committee from the general committee to arrange for the fair. The erai committee to arrange for the fair. The membership will be shortly announced by Chairman Small. Before adjournment a vote of thanks was tendered Chairman Small and Secretary Perry for their indefatigable efforts in behalf of the project. At the conclusion of the meeting the corporators met. They are thus far: Grand-parators met. porators met. They are, thus far: Grand Lodge, James A. Sample; Federal Lodge, R B. Donaldson; Columbia Lodge, Thomas F B. Donaldson; Columbia Lodge, Thomas F. Gibbs; Potomac Lodge, Isaac Birch; New Jerusalem Lodge, E. H. Chamberlin; Hiram Lodge, Martin R. Thorpe, St. John's Lodge, Jesse W. Lee, jr.; National Lodge, Richard C. Lewis; Washington Centennial Lodge, William H. Baum; Benjamin B. French Lodge, Wallace H. Hills; Dawson Lodge, Samuel R. Bond; Lafayette Lodge, Robert Cook; Hope Lodge, George W. Baird; Geo. C. Whiting Lodge, B. W. Murch; Pentalpha Lodge, Joseph C. Johnson; Stansbury Lodge, Joseph C. Johnson; Stansbury Lodge, George W. Balloch; Grand Chapter Matthew Trimble; Columbia Chapter, Alli-son Nailor; Washington Chapter, John R Garrison; Mount Vernon Chapter, John H Garrison; Mount Vernon Chapter, John H. Olcott; Eureka Chapter, S. H. Walker; Lafayette Chapter, George W. Evans; Mount Horeb Chapter, W. F. R. Phillips; Potomac Chapter, S. C. Palmer; Brightwood Chapter, Abram Frey; Hiram Chapter, John C. Chaney; Washington Commandery, Howard Perry; Columbia Commandery, J. H. Small, jr.; Potomac Commandery, Samuel M. Yeatman; De Molay Mounted Commanderyen Thomas Somerville: Mithras Lodge of Per-Thomas Somerville; Mithras Lodge of Perfection, H.K.Simpson; Orient Lodge of Perfection, J. A. Lacey; Robert De Bruce Council, Charles T. Caldwell, and Albert Pike Consistory, Mark D. Brainard.

The Absolutely Pure

The corporators organized the Masonic Temple Association, which will be at once incorporated, and elected Dr. R. B. Don-aldson, president; J. Henry Small, jr., vice

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The Corcoran Gallery of Art was open to the public yesterday afternoon from 1:30 until 5 o'clock, and, despite the disagreeable, drizzly weather, nearly a thousand persons took advantage of the opportunity to view the art treasures and beauties contained in the magnificent building. A very large proportion of the visitors were those whose vocations prevent them from going to the gallery on week days. It was announced yesterday by Dr. F. S.

Barbarin, curator, that the gallery would be open Sundays hereafter until further notice from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., the change of the closing hour from 5 o'clock being deemed advisable on account of the growing shortness of the days.

Letter for Dorsey Foultz.

The police are not the only people who want to see Dorsey Foultz, the murderer of Charles Robinson the 31st of May. Post master Willett has a letter for him, and is anxious that he should call and get it. Should he fail to do so his name will be printed in the list of those whose letters are uncalled for, and then the missive may find its way to the dead letter office. Grand Army Club Meeting.

At the regular monthly assembly of the Grand Army Club of the District of Columbia Saturday evening last, in the parlors of Willard's Hotel, addresses were made by several well-known Grand Army men. The parlors were appropriately deco-rated for the occasion, and at the conclusion of an informal program refreshments

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